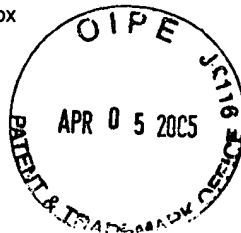


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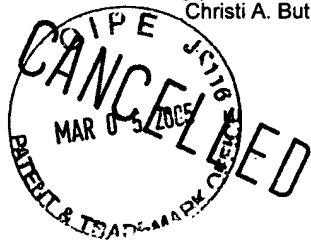
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**AMENDMENT A**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is responsive to the Official Action dated October 5, 2004, for which a shortened statutory period for reply expired on January 5, 2005. A Petition for a 3-month Extension of Time is filed herewith extending the time for response up to and including April 5, 2005. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0426 in the amount of \$1,020.00. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

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